

**Commonwealth University**  
**Bachelor of Music in Performance, Instrumental Track**  
**120 credits**  
**Degree Checklist**

Effective Fall 2023

<b>MUSIC CORE Required Courses (53 credits + 6 credits of Directed Gen Ed)</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Semester/Year</b>
MUSI201 Music Theory I	3		
MUSI203 Music Theory II	3		
MUSI301 Music Theory III	3		
MUSI303 Music Theory IV	3		
MUSI202 Aural Skills I	1		
MUSI204 Aural Skills II	1		
MUSI302 Aural Skills III	1		
MUSI220 History of Western Music Until 1750 (H)	(3)		
MUSI221 Classical & Romantic Music	3		
MUSI320 Music Post-Romantic to Present	3		
MUSI111 World Music (G)	(3)		
MUS250 Basic Conducting	1		
APMU121 Class Piano I	1		
APMU122 Class Piano II	1		
APMU123 Class Piano III	1		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 1	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 2	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 3	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 4	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 5	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 6	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 7	2		
APMU4XX Applied Lessons – semester 8	2		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 1	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 2	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 3	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 4	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 5	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 6	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 7	1		
MUEN3XX Music Ensemble on primary instrument – sem 8	1		
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MUSI000 Recital Attendance (taken eight semesters)	0		

<b>PERFORMANCE Required Courses (12 credits)</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Semester/Year</b>
MUSI140 Introduction to Music Technology	2		
MUSI370 Music Entrepreneurship	1		
MUSI351 Instrumental Conducting	2		
MUSI352 Instrumental Rehearsal Techniques	1		
MUSI461 Piano Literature OR MUSI462 Instrumental Literature	3		
MUSI466 Piano Pedagogy OR MUSI467 Instrumental Pedagogy	3		

<b>MUSIC ELECTIVE Courses (10 credits)</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>Grade</b>	<b>Semester/Year</b>
Music Electives course	1-3		
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<b>GENERAL EDUCATION</b>				
<b>Category</b>		<b>Credits</b>	<b>Course Taken (Required classes are listed)</b>	<b>Semester/Grade</b>
First Year Seminar (U)	15	3		
Writing (W) (3 credits)		3		
Oral Communication (O)		3		
History (H)		3	MUSI220 History of Western Music Until 1750	
Quantitative (Q)		3		
Diversity (D)	9	at least 3		
Global Perspective (G)		3	MUSI111 World Music	
Foreign Languages (F)		<i>e</i>		
Citizenship (S)	6	3		
Ethical Reasoning (E)		<i>e</i>		
Critical Reasoning (R)		<i>e</i>		
Natural World (N)	9	at least 6		
Technology (T)		<i>e</i>		
Literature (L)	6	3		
Arts (A)		3	Non-music course	
Creative (C)			Non-music course	
<b>Total General Education Credits</b>		<b>45</b>		

\* - Students are required to earn 6 credits in the Citizenship & Responsibility curriculum by completing two (2) of its three (3) goals.

*e* - Indicates an elective or option. Students have some flexibility to choose so long as all of the applicable policies are followed.

**Students need a minimum of 120 credits to graduate from Commonwealth University**

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